

PRESIDENT ADVISES DECLARATION OF WAR ON AUSTRIA

NOTHING CAN TURN UNITED STATES ASIDE UNTIL WAR IS WON, HE TELLS CONGRESS

ALL COUNTRIES OF WORLD GET COPIES OF WILSON SPEECH

President's Message Recognized as International Document of Great Importance.

IS DELIVERED AT 12:30

Senate and House Meet in Joint Session Awaiting Guidance of Chief Executive in Work Ahead. Much Speculation Made on Address.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The international character of President Wilson's address delivered to Congress beginning at 12:30 o'clock today, was indicated by the fact that the government had already placed it for simultaneous publication in practically every capital in the world.

The Senate and House met in joint session at 12:30 P. M. to hear the address. Guidance of the President in the work ahead was awaited by tacit agreement. Congressional leaders admitted that his recommendations, awaited with profound interest by the world, virtually would outline the session's program.

A spirit of confidence apparently pervaded Congress. Returning members exchanged views with declarations of increased determination to lend every aid in vigorous conduct of the war. The leaders predicted that legislation would be confined largely to war measures, as the President is understood to desire. Senator Martin, Democratic leader in the Senate, said there would be little time for other than war problems, and Representative Kitchin, the House leader, announced that he was disposed to favor the plan.

CONVICTS RETAKEN

Seven of 15 That Escaped From Jail Captured; Others Surrounded.

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 4.—Seven of the 15 convicts who escaped from the penitentiary yesterday morning were captured early today by three possees near Morris, in a box car on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific. The other six are surrounded and their capture is expected shortly.

The three possees were organized late last night after the convicts had stopped a Chicago, Ottawa & Pacific interurban car, robbed the passengers of everything they had, including most of their clothes, and had driven the car to Morris, Ill., where they abandoned it. One posse was led by Sheriff Walter Hendrickson of Grundy county, another by George M. Scholl, and the third by prison guards.

Reports from Morris stated that the passengers from the interurban car reached there about midnight, all badly bruised but none seriously injured.

DIES FROM WOUNDS

Pizzomato, Shot Sunday Morning, Succumbs in Hospital.

Sante Pizzomato, 47 years old, of 112 East Fayette street, who was shot in the head and in the arm early Sunday morning while in his coop searching for chickens, died at 11 o'clock this morning in the Cottage State hospital. Pizzomato fell unconscious early yesterday morning, and never recovered consciousness.

Nothing has been heard by the police of Mr. Pizzomato since he was shot. He was shot by a man who was seen by the police to be firing the fatal shots, in a statement on Sunday to Patrolman P. M. Rull, Mancuso is Pizzomato's nephew. He left the city after the shooting.

The bullet responsible for Pizzomato's death entered his head through the nose.

FALLS UNDER TRAIN

Ohio Man Injured Trying to Get Off Freight at Ohlyopie.

Earl Anderson, of Millford, O., was admitted to the Cottage State hospital this morning for treatment of an injured left foot suffered while attempting to get off a Baltimore and Ohio freight train near Ohlyopie. In addition to a four inch laceration, the foot is slightly mangled.

Louis Taylor of South Connellsville, Mrs. Homer Ansel of Normalville and Miss Mary Hattar of Dunbar, were discharged today from the hospital.

\$10 Bill Stolen

While passing the Eika home on East Crawford avenue about 9:30 o'clock last night, L. M. Rudolph had a letter, and a \$10 bill snatched from his hand by an unknown man. The case was reported to the police.

All Talk of Peace is Out of the Question, as It Can Only Come When Germans Make It Through Rulers World Can Trust.

DECLARES PEOPLE SHOULD BE TOLD WAR AIMS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—President Wilson delivered to Congress today an address considered so important in its relation to international affairs that it has been transmitted by the government to practically every other capital in the world.

In ringing definite terms the President declared that nothing shall turn the United States aside until the war is won and Germany beaten. All talk of peace he pronounced out of the question.

Immediate war against Austria, the President told Congress, was necessary to meet the anomalous situation the United States faces in its war with Germany, even though Austria was not her own mistress and merely a vassal of Germany.

The same logic, he said, would lead to war against Turkey and Bulgaria but they do not yet, he said, stand in the paths of the United States in its war against Prussian autocracy.

Peace, the President declared, could come only when the German people make it through rulers the world can trust; when they make reparation for the destruction their present ruler has wrought and when Germany recedes from all the territory acquired by armed conquest.

"As a nation we are united in spirit and intention," said the President. "I pay little heed to those who tell me otherwise. I hear the voices of dissent—who does not? I hear the criticisms and clamor of the noisily thoughtless and troublesome. I also see men here and there fling themselves in important disloyalty against the calm indomitable power of the nation. I hear men debate peace who understand neither its nature nor the way in which we may attain it, with uplifted eyes and unbroken spirit. But I know that none of these speak for the nation. They do not touch the heart of anything. They may safely be left to strut their uneasy hour and be forgotten."

"We are the spokesmen of the American people and they have a right to know whether their purpose is ours. They desire peace by the overwhelming of evil, by the defeat once for all of the sinister forces that interrupt peace and render it impossible and they wish to know those thoughtless and those who would what action we propose. They are impatient with those who desire peace by any source of compromise—deeply and indignantly impatient—but they will be equally impatient with us if we do not make plain to them what our objectives are and what we are planning for in seeking to make conquest of peace by arms."

"I believe that I speak for them when I say two things. First that this intolerable thing of which the master of Germany has shown us, the ugly face, this menace of combined intrigue and force which we now see so clearly as the German power, a thing without conscience or honor or capacity for contrivance—must be crushed and, if it is not utterly brought to an end, at least shut out from the friendly intercourse of the nations; and second, that when this thing and its power are indeed defeated and the time comes that we can discuss peace—when the German people have spokesmen whose word we can believe and when those spokesmen are ready in the name of their people to accept the common judgment of the nations as to what shall henceforth be the basis of law and of covenant for the life of the world—we shall be willing and glad to pay the full price for peace and pay it ungrudgingly. We know what that price will be. It will be full and impartial justice—justice done at every point and to every nation, when the final settlement must affect our enemies as well as our friends."

"You catch me with the voices of humanity that are in the air. They grow daily more audible, more articulate, more persuasive and they come from the hearts of men everywhere. They insist that the war shall not end in vindictive action of any kind; that no nation or people shall be robbed or punished because the irresponsible rulers of a single country have themselves done deeds and abominable wrong."

The developments in Russia the President dismissed in a few words.

"The Russian people have been poisoned by the very same dark falsehood," he said, "that has kept the German people in the dark and the poison has been administered by the very same hand. The only possible antidote is the truth. It cannot be uttered too plainly or too often."

Accompanying his recommendation for a declaration of war on Austria, the President in no uncertain terms told Congress it must make adequate provision to protect the nation against the alien enemies. He declared it should create "a very definite and particular control" over all persons entering or leaving the United States. Violations of the proclamations covering enemy alien activity, he declared, should be punished by penitentiary sentences for women as well as men.

Among recommendations for legislation connected with the war the President included more laws to control profiteering. The law of army and demand, the President declared, had been replaced by the "law of unrestrained selfishness."

To Congress itself the President made a plea for economy in government expenditures.

The President closed with an appeal

PLAN LARGER BOXES

Response Generous to Soldiers' Christmas Gift Fund.

Committees appointed from the different churches to solicit funds for Christmas boxes for Company D and the 110th Regiment Hospital corps, met last night in the Red Cross rooms in the Federal building and reported splendid success to Mrs. R. S. McKee, who had been appointed by Augusta women to look after the packing of 200 Christmas boxes to be placed on a regimental Christmas tree at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., for the boys of Company D and the members of the Hospital corps.

More money was collected than was expected and as the result, larger boxes than planned will be packed and ready to ship on Monday morning.

HUJACK ABUSED HIS WIFE BEFORE SHE LEFT HIM, HER SISTER SAYS

Woman Shot Five Times By Husband Sunday Night Is Somewhat Improved Today.

Speaking for her sister, Mrs. Frank Hujack, who is lying in the Cottage State hospital suffering from three bullet wounds inflicted by her husband here Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Earl Kestler of McCormick avenue this morning denied every statement of Hujack's concerning the wrongs of his wife had done him.

According to Mrs. Kestler, Hujack is now under bail on two charges, one abusing his wife and the other pointing a revolver at his wife and her mother. It was because he abused her, Mrs. Kestler said, that Mrs. Hujack ran away from the Pittsburgh home. "And as for taking care of the baby," she said, "she begged him to give her the baby. She intended to work here and keep the baby with her. She didn't run around with other men. She was married to him when she was only 15 years old and he was much older. He doesn't work, and he abused her until she was afraid of him. Further than this, I will not say until my trial comes up. I will tell all I know about him."

Mrs. Hujack, Mrs. Kestler said, did not go to Pittsburgh last Tuesday to get money from her husband. From Monday until Saturday she was working at the Tri-State Candy company here and did not get out of town.

Mrs. Hujack is getting along nicely, according to reports from the hospital today. Her condition is declared much improved, and it is expected that she will recover.

TAKEN TO JAIL

Capipella, Arrested For Blackmailing, Sent to Uniontown.

Paquale Capipella, arrested yesterday charged with attempting to blackmail A. Nigolotto, an East Crawford avenue shoemaker, was taken to the county jail at Uniontown this morning by Captain Ludwig, of the Baltimore & Ohio police.

Capipella was arrested by City Detective J. W. Altchell and Patrolman P. M. Rull, and confessed that he wrote letters demanding money only as a "joke." As it is a serious offense to use the mails for blackmail, it is expected that the government will take up the case.

NO NEW CASES.

Smallpox on the Wane Now in Meyersdale.

The smallpox patients in Meyersdale are getting along very nicely, and no new cases have developed. A case of diphtheria has been reported, the sufferer being Mrs. George Kemp of Lincoln avenue.

A case of smallpox has been reported from Garrett, the patient there being Mrs. Lehman. This, it is said, is a very mild one.

CHRISTMAS SENS PERMISSIBLE.

Postmaster General A. S. Burleson has announced that, in order to facilitate the handling of delivery of mail during the Christmas holidays, the requirement that domestic matter bearing on the address side adhesive seals or stickers, other than lawful postage stamps, shall be treated as immailable, will be suspended from December 1 to January 1. Postmasters are to inform their patrons, however, that such seals or stickers should not be placed on the address side, but on the back.

WEATHER FORECAST

Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature; is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

Maximum	49	1916
Minimum	34	22
Mean	42	55

The Young river rose from 1.40 to 1.80 feet during the night.

COSSACKS TRY TO SURROUND BOLSHEVIKI FORCES AND AN ENGAGEMENT IS IMPENDING

Krylenko's Forces Menaced on Flanks and Rear By Loyalist Troops.

KORNLOFF MAY BE FREE

By Associated Press.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 4.—A battle between the Petrograd garrison, commanded by Design Krylenko, and Cossacks is reported to be impending at Vitebsk.

According to a telegram from Krylenko's adjutant, the Cossacks have gathered on the banks and in the rear of Krylenko's forces.

A circumstantial report is being circulated that General Kornloff, former Russian commander in chief, who led an unsuccessful revolt against the Kerevsky government, escaped last night.

RUSSIAN GENERAL STAFF SURRENDERS TO BOLSHEVIKI

PETROGRAD, Dec. 4.—Design Krylenko, the Bolsheviki commander in chief, telegraphed today that the general staff, which had refused to recognize the authority of the Bolsheviki, has surrendered.

ARMISTICE FOR 48 HOURS BETWEEN RUSS AND GERMANS.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—An armistice between Russia and Germany has been agreed at the headquarters of Prince Leopold of Bavaria, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam today. The armistice is valid for a period of 48 hours.

EXECUTION OF U. S. PRIVATE APPROVED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The execution of Private Frank Cadue of the infantry, for attacking and murdering a seven-year-old French girl, in France on November 5, has been approved by the War Department.

Cadue was hanged after sentence by a military court martial, instead of being shot, as had previously been said. The record of the trial says he confessed to the crime and pleaded that, being under the influence of liquor, he did not know what he was doing.

In reviewing the case, the War Department considers that military law has been complied with in every respect. Cadue's was the first case of his kind to occur in the American Army abroad.

GOLDSMITH TELLS OF PLAN FOR INSURING SOLDIERS.

Oliver Goldsmith, local man, now in the ordnance department of the National Army at Camp Lee, Va., explains the government insurance of men in the service in an interesting letter to his father, Henry Goldsmith of West Crawford avenue. Young Goldsmith writes that he has taken out the maximum amount, \$10,000, for which he pays the small sum of \$7 a month, this being taken from his salary. In case of death, the family of the insured man receives 240 monthly payments, extending over a period of 20 years, of \$37.50 per month. In case of total disability, the man himself gets these monthly payments, and in case of partial disability, he gets a practical arrangement of the entire sum. Young Goldsmith is enthusiastic about the government insurance plan, which he feels is a fine protection for any soldier.

KING AND SMITH, WITH AVIATION CORPS, IN FRANCE.

Robert King and William Smith, local boys who are with the aviation corps, have safely made the trip across the water and are now somewhere in France. A letter from King to his sister, Miss Winifred King of Prospect street, announces their arrival. Both he and Smith are "fine," he says, and they send regards to old Connellsville.

Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Smith of Sycamore street. King is a brother of Misses May and Winifred King of Prospect street.

CAPTAIN MORTON'S HEALTH IMPROVING, HE WRITES.

In a letter to Alex B. Hood, assistant cashier of the Second National bank, Captain Robert S. Morton of Company D, 110th Regiment, in training at Camp Hancock, Ga., says that he feels "some better down here."

Admiral Broad Reduction.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Immediate reduction in bread prices, wherever possible has been recommended to bakers throughout the country by the emergency council of the baking industry. Bakers will go under government license December 10, using a set formula and producing a standardized loaf required by the Food Administration.

Conductor H.

James Joseph Mayfield of Morrell avenue, Greenwood, a well known West Penn conductor, is off duty on account of sickness.

Our Explosives Agent.

Radcliffe Vort, business at Ohlyopie, has been appointed explosives licensing agent, representing the bureau of mines in the Ohlyopie district.

Johns Navy.

Dominic Gallagher of Connellsville enlisted in the United States Navy at the Pittsburgh recruiting depot yesterday.

C. ROY HETZEL IS NEW PRESIDENT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Chosen Unanimously to Succeed J. R. Davidson, Who Retires as Director.

COMMITTEES ARE NAMED

A. W. Hart in Charge of Finances, W. W. Haines of Property, and R. E. Long of Supplies; H. George May Re-Elected Solicitor; Two Meetings.

C. Roy Hetzel was last night elected president of the school board, which organized in the office in the new high school building. W. W. Haines was elected vice president.

There was no opposition either to Mr. Hetzel or Mr. Haines. Both are veteran members of the board, and knew how the business of the body should be conducted. There was no sign of a split of the directors into two factions, which many had expected.

The old board met at 7 o'clock and finished up all its old business. President J. R. Davidson, and Directors J. W. Ralston and W. W. Smith then retired, their places being taken by Alex J. Francis, Joseph B. Eckhard, and Alex W. Hart. C. Roy Hetzel was chosen temporary chairman, and the three new directors were sworn in by Mr. Hetzel.

Mr. Haines dominated Mr. Hetzel for president, and Oscar Woods made the second. Mr. Hart moved that the nominations be closed, this motion being seconded by R. K. Long. Mr. Haines was then instructed to cast a vote for the board. He voted for Mr. Hetzel. The new president was called on for a speech.

"Gentlemen, I thank you," he said. "Is that all you're going to say?" the other directors asked.

"Well," Mr. Hetzel said, "I will say that I will give my very best and I only expect the same of you that we may make this a prosperous school district."

Mr. Long then nominated Mr. Haines for vice president, and on motion of Mr. Hart, he was elected by acclamation.

COMPOSER TO PLAY

A. M. Foerster of Pittsburgh Will Give Concert in Dunbar Township H. S.

Adolph M. Foerster, Pittsburgh composer who directed a concert of the Tuesday Music Club here last season, will appear in the Dunbar township high school Friday evening, December 14, at 8 o'clock, in recital. Since his Music Club program here last spring there have been frequent requests for his return, and his audience at Leasingville will consist of a number of music lovers from all parts of the region. Assisting Mr. Foerster will be Miss Mary V. Cunningham, soprano, and C. H. William Rubie, violinist. Miss Cunningham has sung with Wagner's orchestra and with the Pittsburgh Festival orchestra, and has assisted Caspar P. Koch, city organist on the North Side, Pittsburgh, in his concerts. Mr. Rubie has been identified with chamber music and orchestral work in Pittsburgh.

KILLED IN MINE

Hope Breaks, Car Hits Timbers and Minor is Buried.

John Moder, 31 years old, was instantly killed yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock, when the cable which was hauling a string of cars in the Prospect mine No. 1 at Dunbar, broke. The car on which he was riding jumped the track and knocked the timbers loose, causing the slate to fall and bury him beneath it.

Moder is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Misses Anna, Mary and Emma Moder, and Alice Moder of Pittsburgh; Andrew Moder in the United States Navy, and George Moder in the United States Army. He is also survived by an uncle, Andrew Moder of Dunbar.

Passenger Agents Here.

C. W. Allen, traveling passenger agent for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, with headquarters in Baltimore, was in the city this morning on his way to Morgantown. W. H. Foost, of Pittsburgh, employed by the same company in a similar capacity, was also here for a brief time on business.

Methodist Episcopal Church Has Dropped Matter of Buying the District's Portable School Building to Use for Overflow Sunday School Purposes.

Having found that they could not erect a wooden building within the fire limits, the church is in the downtown section. The building was turned over to the property committee to either store away or sell. Mr. Long said he had no doubt but what the board could get more for it than they paid, \$300, "the way things are now."

After paying the bills of the month, the old board adjourned sine die.

Following the meeting of the new board, the members were taken all through the building, which is now practically complete. Mr. Critchfield told the board last night that the only things left to do were the polishing of the swimming pool and the completion of the cement sidewalks. The directors spent a long time looking over the auditorium and the gymnasium, the apparatus having been set in the latter room.

The new members were surprised at the completeness of the new building.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

In honor of her 50th birthday Mrs. B. Rottler was honored at a delightful surprise party given at her home in Johnston. Fifty of her friends attended and spent a most enjoyable evening at singing and dancing. In remembrance of the happy occasion Mrs. Rottler was presented with a number of pretty and useful gifts. Dainty refreshments were served.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows at the regular meeting of the Daughters of Isabella held last evening in the Episcopal school hall: Grand regent, Mrs. John Dixon; regent, Mrs. Catherine Smith; president, Miss Katharine McKerrin; historian, Miss Gertrude Evans; secretary, Miss Anna Barick; treasurer, Miss Anna White; chaplain, Miss Rose Schneider; sentinel, Mrs. Jennie Ritchie; organist, Miss Jeanne Cuneo; trustees, Mrs. Mary L. Lacey, and Mrs. Sarah Miland. Court Annunciate will hold its first initiation Sunday, December 16, in the Knights of Columbus hall. All members are requested to attend.

The third of a series of card parties planned for the benefit of the Jewish war sufferers will be held tomorrow night in Paul Ditch club rooms with Mrs. S. M. Levy and Mrs. E. Roschfeld joint hostesses. The hours are from 8 to 10:30 o'clock.

A special mailing of the Young Ladies' Society will be held tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock in the Episcopal school hall.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Mrs. R. C. McGee will entertain the C. L. Girls club Friday night at her home at Dunbar.

Miss Edith Colburn will entertain the T. C. L. club this evening at her home in Morion avenue.

Prof. J. Earle Roberts and bride were presented by the Franklin Coke company of which Prof. Roberts is a director, with a chest of silver, as a wedding gift.

Miss Anne E. Dornery of Uniontown, and Orval Stacy, Mettelandtown, were married yesterday morning at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Johnston in Uniontown. Rev. R. H. Williams, pastor of the St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church officiated. The bridegroom is a member of Company D, 110th Infantry, stationed at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga.

A patriotic program was rendered at the semi-monthly meeting of the Outlook club held yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Sarah Allen in West Green street. At the roll call the members responded with patriotic quotations. Papers were read as follows: "West Point," Mrs. J. J. Thompson; Annapolis, Mrs. John B. Davis. At the conclusion of the program dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George B. Freed in South Pittsburg street.

Mrs. W. A. Bishop is entertaining the Greenwood Ladies' Fancy work club and the A. B. Fancywork club, of which she is a member, this afternoon at her home in East Green street.

State Regent Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook of Pittsburgh will visit the Philip Freeman Chapter Daughters of American Revolution Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Smith house. Following an address by Mrs. Cook, dinner will be served at the hotel. Members who expect to attend are asked to notify Mrs. Charles E. Wilson not later than Wednesday morning.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the First Presbyterian church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

The Christmas Endeavor society of the Christian church will meet Friday evening in the church.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Guild of the Trinity Reform Episcopal church will be held tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. S. E. Mong in the Cunningham apartments, South

Pittsburg street. Final plans for a food sale to be held December 10, will be made.

Shilo Lodge No. 103 Ladies auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Odd Fellows' temple, South Pittsburg street. The election of officers will take place and a large attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Roedel gave a dinner Friday at their home in Augusta, Ga., in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Robinson of Uniontown, who have five sons stationed at Camp Hancock. Among the guests in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, were Lieutenant J. L. Robinson of Company D, and wife, Lieutenant C. S. Robinson, Lieutenant and Mrs. H. L. Robinson, Jr., Sergeant and Mrs. William J. Robinson and Private D. S. Robinson.

Miss Rebecca Carmack Black, daughter of Mrs. Ada Black of South Brownsville, and Allen E. Strawn, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Strawn of Dawson, were quietly married last evening in the home of the bride in Angie street. Rev. J. M. Betts, pastor of the Second Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. The guest list included only the immediate members of the two families. The ceremony was followed by a prettily appointed wedding dinner. Pink and white appointments prevailed. Mr. and Mrs. Strawn will reside with the latter's mother.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon and children of Meyersdale, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. John Dixon of Water street.

The best place to shop after all, Brownell Shoe Co., Adv.

Jack Gordon of Houtzdale, a student at State college, is spending the Thanksgiving vacation with his brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. John Dixon of West Apple street.

Downs Shoe store has just gotten in a big supply of Boys Tan English Shoes with Neolin Soles for Christmas buyers. You can buy nothing that will please the boys better for a Christmas gift. Adv.—3-3.

Mrs. J. P. Brennan of Scottsdale, was in town this morning on her way to Meyersdale to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shannon.

For dainty hand-made Christmas things go to the Lutheran Christmas bazaar, Thursday and Friday afternoons of this week in the social room of the church. Adv.—4-2d.

Jesse Coughenour of Confluence, was in town yesterday on his way to Uniontown.

See Billie Burke at Arcade today. Adv.—3-2.

Mrs. Charles Ross, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. R. King, returned to her home in Cleveland, O., yesterday.

Special Sale at Ladies of Ladies' Winter Suits and Coats, 1-4, 1-3 and 1-2 off. Children's Coats, 10 and 15 per cent off. Adv.—3-6t.

P. J. Harrigan, and daughter Miss Margaret Harrigan, and Francis Yanner were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitney Solson of Cleveland O. Mrs. Solson is a daughter of Mr. Harrigan.

Have you seen the New Tony Rod Shoes for men yet—Downs Shoe store has just gotten in a big supply for Christmas buyers in the Walk-over make. Both English and high toe styles. Adv.—3-2d.

Chicken and waffles of the usual quality in Trinity Lutheran social room, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. Hours 5 to 8 o'clock. Adv.—4-2d.

Miss Margaret Buskirk is visiting relatives in Cumberland.

Mrs. Belle Stillwagon and daughter, Mrs. Ella Mae Johnson are moving from Snyder street today into the Shaw property in Lincoln avenue, recently purchased by Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Virginia Euston has returned to Mount de Chastel college at Washington, W. Va., after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brennan of Scottsdale.

G. C. Cuneo of Morgantown, was in town yesterday on business.

I. L. W. Trial December 15.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—More than 100 members of the I. W. W. arrested in a country wide raid last September, will be arraigned December 15 in the United States district court. It was announced today.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS MAY FOREGO XMAS TREATS AND GIVE THIS MONEY TO WAR SUFFERERS

SCHOOL OFFICERS

The Conneltsville township school board met last night and reorganized by electing George Baer president and H. D. Shearer, vice president. John Wishart is a new member.

At the re-organization of the South Conneltsville school board last night William Bruce was elected president; W. F. Hotrick, vice president, and Harry DeBolt, a new member of the board, treasurer.

Joseph Bunting was chosen president of the Dunbar borough school board and H. L. Smith vice president. The meeting was held in the high school building with all members present. New members are Mr. Bunting, Joseph Hair and W. R. Bowden.

The Dunbar township school board met last night at the Smith House and re-organized by electing Fred C. Smith president, to succeed I. R. Ball, and Clarence Barker, the new member of the board, vice president. Teachers were paid their salaries for the month of November and a number of bills were paid.

PROGRAM ARRANGED

Week Of Prayer Meetings Will Begin Monday, December 31.

At a meeting of the Ministerial association yesterday, it was decided to conduct a campaign to raise \$2,823 for the Armenian and Syrian war sufferers during the week of December 16 and to ask all Sunday schools to forego their usual Christmas treats and give the money thus saved to the fund.

Conneltsville has already raised \$500 for this purpose, which leaves approximately \$2,323 to be secured, if the city's quota of \$2,823 is to be covered. The Sunday schools will be asked to raise at least \$1,000.

LEAVE FOR CAMP

William Bowytz and Frank McCutens leave for Augusta, Ga.

William Bowytz and Frank McCutens, of the West Side, two members of Company D, 110th Regiment Infantry, returned to Camp Hancock this morning after spending a 10 day furlough at their homes. They left on Baltimore & Ohio train No. 6.

McCutens has put in an application for an appointment to an officers' training camp and Bowytz is working for mess sergeant. He has been cutting meat for the company for some time, and is becoming familiar with the kitchen end of the army.

E. S. ENGINEERS' SHOW OF BRAVERY THRILLS ARMY WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Dec. 4.—The entire Army was thrilled by today's published reports of the heroic action of the American railway engineers on the British front in the Cambrai sector. It was the sole topic of conversation, and the railroads were subject to much envy, especially from troops who had returned from the trenches and who would give all they owned for just such a chance.

In the language of an infantry sergeant: "I stay in the trenches for a spell and let Fritz shoot his artillery at us, and have never really had a chance to use our rifles, except to snipe and pot Fritz out in No Man's Land on dark nights. These railroaders managed to run their trains right into a good thick scrap, and if that isn't luck, I don't know what is."

DESERTER TAKEN AWAY

Constable B. Rottler Handed Over Young Soldier to Authorities. Charles Richter, arrested some time ago by Constable Charles Wilson as a deserter from the Army, was taken to Fort DuPont at Wilmington, Del., last night by Constable B. Rottler, where he will be delivered to the federal authorities.

Richter is a son of Charles Richter, Sr., of Moyer, and was with the 110th Regiment at Camp Hancock when he deserted. While under arrest here he was married to Miss Ione Ferguson of Conneltsville, Pa., by Alderman Fred Smith.

Picture of Local Hunters.

In a 10 days' hunt in Somerset county, Charles P. Teagarden of Leisenring No. 1, I. C. Kelly of Scottsdale, and Robert Bierer of Conneltsville, killed 44 rabbits, nine gray squirrels, eight red squirrels, 13 pheasants and five coons. The Sunday Gazette Times contained a photograph of the party's auto covered with the spoils.

Gephart Shot While Hunting. J. T. Gephart, county road engineer for Fayette county, with headquarters at Uniontown, was shot in the head Friday while hunting pheasants at Snowshoe, near Clearfield, Pa. The shot was evidently fired by some hunter at a great distance. Its force was spent and Mr. Gephart was not seriously hurt.

Oil Advances Again.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 4.—The principal grades of crude oil were advanced today by the purchasing agencies as follows: Pennsylvania crude, 25 cents a barrel, to \$2.75; Cornish, 20 cents, to \$2.80; Cabot, 15 cents, to \$2.72; Somerset, 15 cents, to \$2.55; Ragland, 10 cents, to \$1.20.

Union Taxi Co.

Day and night service, Bell phone 737, Tri-State 659. Garage Arch-St. and Church place. Adv.—30t.

Patronize those who advertise.

Week of December 16 Starts Armenian and Syrian Relief Drive Here.

\$500 ALREADY DONATED

At a meeting of the Ministerial association yesterday, it was decided to conduct a campaign to raise \$2,823 for the Armenian and Syrian war sufferers during the week of December 16 and to ask all Sunday schools to forego their usual Christmas treats and give the money thus saved to the fund.

Conneltsville has already raised \$500 for this purpose, which leaves approximately \$2,323 to be secured, if the city's quota of \$2,823 is to be covered. The Sunday schools will be asked to raise at least \$1,000.

AFTER MOVIE MAN

Darr Prohibits Opening of Theatre in Old Shofa Hotel.

E. J. Sweeney, superintendent at Shofa, who expected to open a motion picture theatre in a building put up some three years ago for use as a hotel, has been notified by Factory Inspector James S. Darr not to operate the theatre until the plans of the building have been approved at Harrisburg. Inspector Darr sent in his report of the case yesterday, having looked over the Shofa building Saturday. Shofa is about midway between Smithfield and Fairbance.

Mr. Sweeney built the place for a hotel, but was refused a license. He thereupon turned the upper story into a club room, and the basement into a pool room. His plan was now to open a movie house in the first floor. Mr. Darr issued instructions to him to send his plans on to Harrisburg at once. These plans will hardly be approved, Mr. Darr feels.

While looking over the building, Mr. Darr found that the negro proprietor of the pool room was violating the child labor law by employing two boys, one nine years old, the other 11. Mr. Darr recommended that his department prosecute their employer.

SECOND COURSE NUMBER

Parish Players to Appear Friday Night in New H. S. Auditorium.

The second entertainment of the high school course will be held Friday night in the auditorium of the new high school, when The Parish Players will put on three one-act plays. Another reserved seat sale will be held at Hotel's drug store, beginning on Friday morning at 9 o'clock, for the benefit of those who neglected to reserve their seats for the first number of the course, which was held in the Presbyterian church, or who have bought tickets since then. There are still over 200 seats left, and Principal B. B. Smith says they are all satisfactory ones. He points out that a season ticket now can save nearly 100 per cent.

For many, Friday night's entertainment will afford the first glimpse of the new high school and its beautiful auditorium. The Parish Players will put on a fine entertainment, if advance notices are to be believed. The company was organized in the Chicago Woodlawn church, in the parish house of which a high type of drama was presented. They will present here a strong drama, a high standard comedy, and a poetic fantasy. They carry with them special staging and lighting effects.

AGED WOMAN KNITS

Mrs. Welshons, Now 86, Makes Sweater in 10 Days.

Despite her 86 years Mrs. Anna Welshons of Dawson is doing her bit by knitting for the soldiers and has the honor of turning in the first knitted article to the Dawson Red Cross unit. She knitted a sweater in 10 days. During the Civil War she made many socks for the soldiers.

Since taking up sewing and knitting for the soldiers the Dawson Red Cross unit has been doing splendid work. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each week the women assemble at the Dawson Cochran banquet hall and work untiringly. Knitters may receive yarn from Mrs. Martin Hecker either by calling at her home or at the hall.

REGULAR SESSIONS NOW.

High School Students On "Two-a-Day" Schedule Again.

The high school pupils went to their studies on the regular schedule today, for the first time this year. They go to school at 8:25, adjourning at 11:45, return at 1 in the afternoon, and quit at 4. These are longer hours than in former years. The periods are 50 minutes long, instead of 40, the last 20 being for supervised study of next day's lessons.

There was no confusion today, things running as smoothly as if the school had been in operation for months.

Eight Get Hearings.

Joseph Schlocker, 34 years old, arrested at the Baltimore & Ohio freight house yesterday by Patrolman D. H. Turner, on request of the foreman, was locked up for four hours by order of Mayor Marietta this morning, while his case was being investigated. He is thought to be mentally unbalanced, and freight house employees were afraid of him. Seven other prisoners were given hearings, this morning.

At a Sacrifice.

Ladies' and Children's Coats at sacrifice prices at Leche's. Adv.—3-9t.

An Excellent Collection of New Coats

Coats this season MUST BE PROPERLY DESIGNED to look well in wear. That was our answer to a customer who had expressed pleasure at the fact that every Coat she had tried on had seemed to set so well on her.

The loose or slightly fitted lines this year call for SKILLED DESIGNING and when you try on so many Coats that just hang, and simply refuse to fall into graceful lines, remember that the designing skill is absent. Ours is a popular center for Coat buyers because we offer not merely Coats, but Coats skillfully designed and of certified style correctness. Our window displays show these Coats with a great sacrifice price.



A Holiday Shopping List

Brown and black collar bags, \$1 to \$2.
Ivory perfume bottle holders, 50c.
Bead Necklaces, graduated pearl beads, 50c to \$2.50.
Children's gold shell bracelets, \$1.50.
Ivory candle sticks, 50c to \$3.50.
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, 3 for \$1.
Men's Silk Mufflers, 59c to \$3.50.
Ladies' Silk Mufflers, 59c to \$3.50.
Hemstitched Huck Towels, 39c to \$1.50.
Crib Blankets, 59c.
Fancy Bed Throws, 25c to \$4.
Initial Handkerchiefs, box of 3 for 35c.
Xmas Tying Ribbon, 1-4 in., 12 1/2c bolt.



Gift Hosiery

You would enjoy pretty hosiery like we are showing for your own gift. Come in and let us help you select. Prices 65c to \$2.75.

Handsome Waists

We offer an extensive collection. Give her a waist in a box—every woman with a waist purchase in mind whose ideas tend to the selection of sport or tailored waists should select from this collection.



Christmas Handkerchiefs

This will be a white Christmas if pretty handkerchiefs have anything to do with it. For months they have been tumbling into the stock room—hundreds and thousands of them. Pussy Willow Handkerchiefs, 25c to 50c each. Plain and fancy Linen Handkerchiefs, 50c to \$2 a box of three. Fancy Initial Handkerchiefs, 35c a box of three. Ladies' plain Linen Handkerchiefs, 15c to 75c each. Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, 15c to 50c each.

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The Grim Reaper

MRS. CATHARINE THOMAS. Following a lingering illness Mrs. Catharine Thomas, 49 years old, died last evening about 7 o'clock at her home at Morgan. Deceased was born in Conneltsville, a daughter of Frederick and Anna Friel Gurke. She married James Thomas, whose death occurred April 7, 1907. Mrs. Thomas was widely known in Upper Tyrone township having resided at Morgan for a number of years. She is survived by the following children: Frederick Thomas and Richard Thomas of Uniontown; Moses Thomas of Morgan; Andrew Thomas at home, and William Thomas of Cleveland, O. Three brothers, Frederick Gurke of Uniontown; Martin and William Gurke of Broad Ford and three sisters, Mrs. William Dahl of West Salisbury; Mrs. James Hochmair of Uniontown, and Miss Amelia Gurke of Peoria, Ill., also survive.

MRS. REBECCA STRICKLER. The funeral of Mrs. Rebecca Strickler will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Presbyterian church at Vanderbilt, with interment in the Dickerson Run Union cemetery.

JOHN A. SHAW. The body of John A. Shaw will be removed tomorrow afternoon from the funeral director J. E. Sims' parlors to the Methodist Protestant church, where services will be held at 2 o'clock. Rev. I. H. Lamberton, the pastor, will officiate. Interment in

CHICKEN THIEVES BUSY

Dawson Man Has Lost 26 From Coop Since Thanksgiving Day.

In four successive raids on his chicken coop, Harry McMillen, who lives in Dawson, just opposite the planning mill office, has lost 26 chickens. Last night he lost 14. The raids began on Thanksgiving night, and have occurred sometimes between 9 and 12 o'clock in the night and sometimes later. Other Dawson people have been troubled lately by chicken thieves.

Mr. McMillen says that if some hungry man is looking for food, he should come round to the house and not steal the chickens. "We have three square meals a day," he says, "and wouldn't object to giving him a bite."

Light-Hearted Women.

A cheerful light-hearted woman is the joy of a man's life. Beauty will fade, a good figure will change, but the charm of health and cheerfulness will endure to the end. But how can a woman be cheerful and happy when dragged down by some female derangement, with a headache, headache, and often on the verge of a nervous breakdown.

Lavinia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for such ailments. During the last 40 years thousands of homes have been made happy by this woman's great remedy for women's ills.—Adv.

Licensed to Wed.

Charles Comp and Maude Hiles of Dunbar township; William Kennedy of North Union township, and Jessie Sidebottom of Conneltsville, were granted marriage licenses in Uniontown yesterday.

Optical Skill and Experience

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NEED THE CHRISTMAS

LIGHTS SHINING.

Some well-meaning but rather too

serious-minded people are indulging

the very unpleasant pastime of plan-

ning how to make the Christmas sea-

son harmonize with their own drab

and gloomy view of things generally.

They seem to think that because of

the war all the joys of the approach-

ing holiday should be eliminated; that

we should limit our purchases to the

bare necessities and curtail if not

cut out altogether, the wholesome

American habit of remembering our

friends and cheering the less for-

tunate among us on this day of days.

They are wrong in both their point

of view and conclusions. Vulgar, ex-

travagant or wasteful expenditures

this year will be just as bad taste

as any time, and especially so when

the practice of self-denial and sac-

rifices have become the accepted signs

of good citizenship. But to suggest

that we should take Christmas—es-

pecially Christmas as the children of

America know it—out of the lives of

our people should not be entertained.

We should, of course, for personal and

national economy be the distinguish-

ing marks of a patriotic observance

of the day, while we lend ourselves

completely than ever before to its

true spirit.

Never before has there been greater

need for a universal manifestation

of the Christmas sentiment. Never

before have we Americans so felt the

need of being drawn together by some

subtle force that will hold us with

hands of steel. No force is more po-

tent than that of the Christ-like ex-

emplified in a wholesome, fitting and

proper observance of Christmas.

While many homes will be sudden-

ly through the absence of the absent

brothers gone to war, we as a people

have been strangely preserved from

the horrors of the conflict and re-

main secure in our enjoyment of do-

mestic peace and tranquility. Later

we may have many and heavy burdens

to bear and still greater sacrifices to

make, but we can not prepare to face

these situations as best becomes us

by denying ourselves or our children

participation in the festival of Christ-

mas. In fact, the sustaining strength

derived from our anticipation of and

realization of this event will have a

new meaning and value to us in the

less cheerful days when they do come.

Don't take Christmas out of your

own or any other life this year. In-

stead strive to get a deeper meaning

out of it, as well as to put more into

it. Buy more, but inexpensive and

appropriate presents, and remember

all your own friends and make many

rate which holds 20 stamps each pay-

ing a value of \$5, or \$100 for the

whole certificate, when redeemed in

1923. The earlier the stamps are

bought the less they will cost, the

schedule of prices, which is deter-

mined by the amount of interest neces-

sary to mature them, beginning at \$1.32

per stamp bought this or next month

and increasing one cent per stamp

per month thereafter.

These new means of affecting small

savings ought to prove quite as popu-

lar in this country as they have in

England and France, not alone be-

cause of their many advantages, easy

purchase and redemption or sale, but

from patriotic considerations involved

in buying them. The money you loan

Uncle Sam; and which he will return

to you with interest, will be used by

him in assisting the allied nations in

maintaining civilization against the

assaults of barbarism. Every stamp

you buy means that you are doing a

small but praiseworthy part toward

equipping the United States to per-

form its full share in this mighty

struggle. At the same time you are

learning the useful lesson of how

better to provide for your own future

necessities.

Hunting for chicken thieves has its

hazards no less than hunting for other

kinds of game.

The roll of the departed Elks

lengthens as the years grow apace.

Piling charges is becoming a very

effective method of firing politicians.

How Congressman Sterling has

practicing camouflage that the An-

ti-Scout Leaguers should for a moment

doubt where he stands on the question

of national prohibition.

The Hospital Corps boys did about all

that could be expected of them in their

very earnest efforts to put thanks in

Thanksgiving.

With the officers who have already

had a clash with the Germans to act as

their instructors, the new National

Guardmen in France will be apt and

eager pupils of the new game.

The announcement from Washington

that estimated expenditures of the

government during the fiscal year are

fixed at \$12,000,000,000 is a certain

sign that the Democratic Southern

parties have over-catchered for their

annual foray on the taxable resources

of the North.

The Shop Early campaign has been a

little late beginning this year, but you

can do a vast amount of it by start-

ing now.

It is not expected that Christmas will

be "as usual" this year. It ought to be

made better and more general than

usual.

Now that Germany has entered into

a truce with the mob government of

Russia, what will she do with it? She

will certainly not let it go. She will

maintain the very garb she wears

with whom she has dealt and is afraid to

people in Germany will rise in their

triumph and demand peace with all

the other enemies of Prussianism.

The city council should not com-

placently accept the resignation of

the city engineer. He has been com-

pletely clearing up the police

situation. Better continue the in-

quiry. Both the council and the public

are satisfied whether or not there be

necessity for further resignations.

Not much mark of the slacker about

that West Virginian who traveled

12,000 miles from China to take his

place in the National Army.

The word Bolsheviki, name of the so-

called government of Russia, means in

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

THE CHAPLAIN.

He was just a small church parson

when the war broke out, and he

looked and dressed and acted like all

persons that we see.

He wore the cleric's broadcloth and he

hooked his vest behind.

But he had a man's religion and he had

a strong man's mind.

And he heard the call to duty, and he

quit his church and went.

And he bravely tramped right with

em everywhere the boys were

sent.

He put aside his broadcloth and he put

the shirt on.

Said he'd come to be a soldier and was

going to live like one.

Then he refereed the prize fights that

the boys pulled off at night.

And if no one else was handy he'd put

on the gloves and fight.

He wasn't afraid of a fight, for he saw

the soldiers' needs.

And he said: "I'm done with preach-

ing; this is now the time for deeds."

He learned the sound of shrapnel, he

could tell the size of shell.

From the shriek it made above him, and

he knew just where it fell.

In the front line trench he labored, and

he knew the feel of mud.

And he didn't run from danger and he

wasn't scared of blood.

He wrote letters for the wounded, and

he cheered them with his jokes.

And he never made a visit without

passing round the smokers.

Then one day a bullet got him, as he

kneelt beside a lad.

Who was "going west" right apud,

and they both seemed mighty glad.

"Gone," he said, "and I'm glad to go,"

and he smiled and whispered low:

"Now you needn't fear the journey;

for there with you I'll go."

And they both passed out together.

Arm in arm they think they went.

He had kept his vow to follow every-

where the boys were sent.

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NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

**Phy-Me Basketball Team
Swamps Uniontown, Capt.
Humes Bright Star.**

SCHOOL BOARD REORGANIZES

J. E. Campbell is Elected President and J. M. Zimmers, Vice President. There Being No Change Made in Membership or in The Officers.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, Dec. 4.—In their opening game of the season, the Phy-Me club of the Y. M. C. A. ran away with the Uniontown L. B. M. 50-10. Very little individual starling was in evidence in the Phy-Me team, although Captain Humes made the score keeper work hard with his 12 field goals. Porter, at center, and Murphy, guard, each added five goals while Freeman, closely guarded during the whole game, registered four more, two being from the field. There was a good crowd in attendance. There was a great deal of rooting for both teams.

The second squad of the Phy-Me's had a tough struggle with the Mount Pleasant Junior, winning out by a field goal. The lineup:

SCOTSDALE. UNIONTOWN.
Humes F. McCloud
Freeman F. McFinnerty
Porter C. Carroll
Murphy G. R. Coraish
Might G. A. Coraish

Substitutes—Scottsdale, Porter for Murphy, Murphy for Porter, Lester for Murphy, Osterwise for Might, Gordon for Porter and Hamilton for Murphy. Field Goals—Humes 12, Freeman 5, Murphy 5, Porter 4, Lester 1, A. Coraish 2, McCloud, A. Coraish 3, Humes 3, and Murphy 3.

On Friday evening this same team will go against the reinforced Macabe Juniors from Connellsville. The Connellsville boys have a good team.

Bread Reduced

Scottsdale people were very much surprised yesterday when they went to shopping to find that there was a good supply of Pittsburgh bread and that 15 cent bread had come down to 14 cents and 10 cent bread to nine cents.

War Benefit.

The Jewish ladies of Scottsdale will have a benefit whist for the War sufferers at the home of Mrs. Lee Goldenson on Thursday afternoon.

Tells of Camp Life.

At benediction on Sunday evening, Rev. M. A. Lambing, who has just returned from Camp Hancock, Augusta, Georgia, told his congregation at St. Johns about the boys in camp. While a visitor at the camp, Father Lambing held mass in the K. O. C. hut there. Thirty-four of his boys from his congregation are members at Camp Hancock. The present K. O. C. hut room is inadequate. Father Lambing urged the giving of money for more work along this line.

Board Reorganizes.

School board's reorganization was a mere formality. J. R. Campbell was re-elected president and J. M. Zimmers, vice president after the "new" members, J. M. Zimmers, Robert Skemp and A. C. Overholt had been sworn in. They had all been re-elected.

Notes.

Mission Oil (known as Snake Oil). For all aches and pains, sore corns and bunions. For sale and guaranteed by the Broadway Drug Co., Adv-30-41.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan of New Lexington are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Pyle.

Edward Anderson, John Finemery, Tod Byrne and Barney Fretts returned yesterday from a trip to Camp Lee, Camp Hancock and Florida.

Mrs. Harry Maw of Youngwood spent yesterday here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Harrington returned yesterday from a visit paid Erie friends.

Son at Boyle Home.

Word has been received here of the arrival of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Boyle at Tarr. The family is composed of two girls and a boy. Mr. and Mrs. Boyle are former residents of Connellsville.

Gingerole For Neuritis and Rheumatism

**Banishes Chest Colds, Coughs
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**Reduces Swollen Glands and Drives
Pain and Soreness From Varicose
Veins. Fine for Chills,
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"I am glad to tell what Gingerole has done for me in taking away pain and suffering I have had for years. I am ninety-four years old and believe it will do for anyone what it has done for me. To all suffering from aches and pains I most highly recommend it."—Mrs. Sarah Northrup, 278 Jefferson Ave., Washington, Pa.

The report of its power to stop all aches and pains almost instantly and to end all soreness and lameness speedily has had its effect and the supply of 25 cent boxes of Gingerole at the drug stores is going like hot cakes.

Thousands use it for neuralgia, for lumbago, neuritis, for sore throat and chest colds. Nothing like it for sore, inflamed feet or burning bunions, corns or callouses. A big package for 25 cents on money back if dissatisfied plan. But be sure you ask for and get the official Gingerole. The Connellsville L. C. Co. and all first class druggists supply it.—Adv.

MAZOLA

enables the housewife to save butter, lard, suet—and give her family the best of foods

"THE proof of the pudding is in the eating"—and the proof of Mazola is in the cooking.

Mazola is not only the perfect medium for deep frying, sautéing, shortening and salad dressings—it is the perfect vegetable oil—produced from golden American corn. Food Administrator Hoover asks us to use vegetable oils.

Mazola has not been established in a day. It has taken months of trial on the part of housewives who at first were reluctant to give up butter, lard or compounds.

If you are not already numbered among the thousands of Mazola users, get a can of Mazola and try this recipe.

BREAKFAST MUFFINS

2 cups flour
4 level teaspoons baking powder
1 egg

Sift dry ingredients together, being sure they are thoroughly mixed. Beat the egg, add it to the milk and turn it into the bowl containing the dry ingredients. Add the Mazola and mix all together very quickly. Do not beat. Turn into muffin pans greased with Mazola, and bake in a moderately hot oven about 25 minutes.

Mazola can be obtained from your grocer. Pint, quart, half-gallon and gallon tins—for greatest economy buy the large sizes. Also ask him for the free Mazola Book of Recipes—or write us direct.

Your money refunded if Mazola does not give entire satisfaction.

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17 Battery Place, New York

Dawson.

DAWSON, Dec. 4.—R. L. Mankey, a commissioned officer in the U. S. Army, was in town Monday shaking hands with his many friends. Prior to entering the Army he was principal of the Dawson schools in 1916. He is home on a few days' furlough, but will leave to join his company at Camp Greene, North Carolina, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Meehan and son James, Jr., who have been spending the past week with friends and relatives in Indiana county, have returned home.

Miss Gladys Loughrey has gone to Chicago to visit friends and relatives for the next few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lohm and daughter, Miss Virginia, have returned to their homes in Oakmont, after a few days' visit with friends here.

Miss Margaret Gruninger spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Ambrose at Mount Braddock.

Don't forget the soldiers' benefit ball on Wednesday evening in the Cochran Banquet hall.

Mrs. Robert Mong has returned home from a visit with her parents, at Scottsdale.

Frank VanHorn was a recent Connellsville caller.

Harry Whiskey was a Connellsville caller Saturday.

A. J. Manning was a Pittsburg caller Monday.

How to Get Rid
Of Indigestion

"Most people who suffer from indigestion, gastritis, dyspepsia, etc.—even those who have been afflicted for years and who have tried doctors, hospitals and patent medicines without permanent benefit—can get instant relief and insure a permanent normal digestion by taking a teaspoonful of ordinary Bi-Nesia in a little hot water immediately after eating." The authority for the above statement who has spent years in European countries investigating the results from the use of the product known among druggists here as Bi-Nesia, claims that the remarkable and instant relief which is invariably followed by its use is due to the fact that it neutralizes stomach acid and stops food fermentation, thus giving nature a chance to proceed with its work without hindrance. He also related many instances of its successful use not only by doctors and hospitals, but also of its widespread use by French, English and Italian soldiers at the front; and expressed the belief that every American soldier should carry a bottle of Bi-Nesia in either powder or tablet form as a guarantee against those stomach complaints which so frequently follow from hastily eating or the use of imperfectly cooked food. Care should be taken to insist on getting the genuine Bi-Nesia, which owing to its marvelous properties is now sold by druggists everywhere under a binding guarantee of satisfaction or money back.

IMPORTANT—The Bi-Nesia mentioned above is a harmless but wonderfully effective remedy which you can make at home or any druggist can prepare for you by mixing 1½ ounces of bigram carbonate with 1 ounce masticella carbonate. If, however, you wish a guarantee of satisfaction or money back, be sure to ask for an original package of Bi-Nesia.—Adv.

Ohiopele.

OHIOPELE, Dec. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins and daughter, Thelma, of Connellsville, are spending a few days the guests of Ohiopele friends.

Miss Ruth Shaw and brother, Lee, were among the callers in Connellsville Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Holt spent Saturday shopping and calling on Connellsville friends.

Harry Grottelty and son of Connellsville spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of Ohiopele friends.

Harry Anderson was a Pittsburg caller Saturday.

Mrs. James Gould is visiting relatives in Pittsburg for a few weeks.

Mrs. Mattie Jackson spent Saturday shopping and calling on Uniontown friends.

Mrs. Francis Meyers returned to her home here Saturday after a short visit spent in Connellsville.

Miss Helen Robinson spent Saturday calling on friends in Connellsville.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Mount Pleasant, One Night, Wednesday

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This is not a Moving Picture, but the same company and production that played Pittsburg, Detroit, Buffalo, Indianapolis and Louisville.

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Thomas Bailey of Whig Corner was a caller here yesterday.

Yarn will be furnished all those who care to knit for the Navy League if they will call at the Ramier Hotel Wednesday evening.

E. H. Kennedy and son, Oran, were among the Uniontown callers Saturday evening.

Miss Marie McFarland has returned to her work at Scottsdale after a short visit spent with her parents here.

James Barkley returned to Ohiopele Saturday.

Dewey Taylor was a caller in Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Maude Rolfe has returned to her school here after a several days' visit at her home at Farmington.

William Kennedy of Uniontown spent Saturday and Sunday here with Ohiopele friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Burdette and Olga Rafferty motored to Uniontown yesterday.

OHIOPELE, Dec. 4.—Elmer Wolfe spent Monday looking after business in Connellsville.

J. F. Torrence of Scottsdale was a business caller in Ohiopele Monday.

Noah Anderson of Connellsville was greeting Ohiopele friends yesterday.

Harvey Morrison of Sugar Loaf was a caller in town Monday.

Harry and Edna Grottelty returned to Connellsville Sunday evening after a several days' visit here.

Sam Thorpe was a caller in town yesterday.

Thomas Inks, a well known citizen of Ohiopele, died at Green Brier Sunday night from asthma, from which he had suffered for a number of years.

Mrs. Hiram Holliday spent Monday shopping and calling on Ohiopele friends.



Christmas

It's plain to see—by the crowds of merry shoppers who throng daily to

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In great variety at \$1.25 to \$5.00

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"It Hits the Spot"

The Ranch at the Wolverine

By B. M. BOWER

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Billy Louise's faith had been compromised definitely with the doubts of him. Guilty or innocent, she would be his friend always. That was the condition her faith had laid down challengingly before her doubts. But unless he were innocent and proved it to her she would never marry him, no matter how much she loved him. That was the concession her faith had made to her doubts.

Billy Louise had a wide little brain for all she idealized life and her surroundings out of all proportion to reality. She told herself that if she married Ward with her doubts alive her misery would be far greater than if she gave him up, except as a friend. Of course her ideals stepped in there with an impossible compromise. She brought back the Ward Warren of her "pretend" life. She dreamed of him as a mutely adoring friend who stood and worshipped her from afar and because of his sins could not cross the line of friendship.

If he were a rascal she would shield him and save him, if that were possible. He would love her always—Billy Louise could not conceive of Ward transferring his affections to another less exacting woman—and he would be grateful for her friendship. She could build long, lovely scenes where friendship was put to the front bravely, while love hid behind the mask and only peeped out through the eyes now and then. She did not, of course, plan all this in sober reason; she just dreamed it with her eyes open.

Some one came upon the doorstep and stood there for a moment, stamping snow off his feet. Billy Louise caught her breath and waited, her eyes veiled with her lashes and shining expectantly. A little color came into her cheeks. Ward had been delayed somehow, but he was coming now because she needed him and he wanted her.

It was only John Pringle, heavy bodied, heavy minded, who came in and squeaked the door shut behind him. Billy Louise gave him a glance and dropped her head back on the cushion. "Hello, John!" she greeted tonelessly.

John grinned, embarrassed between his pleasure at seeing Billy Louise and his pity for her trouble. His white teeth showed a little under his scraggy, bristly mustache.

"Hello! You got back, hey? She's pretty cold again. Seems like it's storm some more." He pulled off his mittens and tugged at the laces of his shoes at the corners of his lips. "You come on stage, hey? I bet you freeze." He went over and stood with his back to the fire, his leathery brown hands clasped behind him, his face still undecided as to the most suitable emotion to reveal. "Well, how you like town, hey? No good, I guess. You got plenty trouble now. Phoebe and me, we stick by you long as you want us to."

"I know you will, John," Billy Louise bit her lips against a sudden impulse to tears. It was not Ward, but the crude sympathy of this old halfbreed was more to her than all the expensive flowers that had been stacked upon mommie's coffin.

She picked up the two letters she had written Ward, brushed off the dust and eyed them hesitatingly. It certainly was queer that Ward had not hidden down for some word from her. She hesitated, then threw the thin letter into the fire. Its message was no longer of urgent, poignant need. Billy Louise drew a long breath when the grief laden lines crumpled quickly and went flying up the wide throat of the chimney. The other letter she plucked between her thumbs and fingers. She smiled a little to herself. Ward would like to get that. She had a conviction of him standing over there by the window and reading it with those swift, shutting glances. She remembered how she had begun it—"Brave Buckaroo"—and her cheeks turned pink. He should have it when he came. Something had kept him away. He would come just as soon as he could. She laid the letter back upon the mantel and set a china bowl on it to keep it safe there. Then she turned brightly and began to set the table for Phoebe and John and herself and came near setting a fourth place for Ward, she was so sure he would come as soon as he could. Mommie used to say that if you set a place for a person that person would come and eat with you in spirit if not in reality.

Phoebe glanced at her pityingly when she saw her hesitating with the fourth plate in her hands. Phoebe thought that Billy Louise had unconsciously brought it for mommie. Phoebe did not know that love is stronger than grief, for at that moment Billy Louise was not thinking of mommie at all.

CHAPTER XIII.

Seven Lean Kins.

AND you looked good, all up above here!" Billy Louise held her hand firm in a curved neck, driving steady, while she said a last word with John before she went off on one of her long rides.

"All up in the hills, and round over by Cedar creek, and all over." John's gesture was even more sweeping than his statement. "I guess mebbe them rustlers got 'em."

"Well, I'm going up to the Cove. I may not be back before dark, so don't worry if I'm late. Maybe I'll come along the river. I know one place where I believe cattle can get down to the bottom, if they're crazy enough to try it. You didn't look there, did you?"

"No, I never looked down there. I know they can't get down now."

"Well, all right; maybe they can't." Billy Louise slackened the reins, and blue went off with short, stiff-legged jumps. It had been a long time since

he had felt the weight of his lady, and his mood now was exuberant. Blue threw up his head, lifted his heels, and ran like a scared jackrabbit over the uneven ground. They were not keeping to the trail at all; trails were too tame for them in that mood. They ran along the rim-rock at the last, where Billy Louise could glance down, now and then, at the river sliding like a bright blue ribbon with icy edges through the gray, snow-spotted hills.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

SAILING DATES

Pennsylvania Announces Outbound Shipping Days.

R. E. Wilhelm, agent for the Pennsylvania railroad here Monday announced the following shipping dates for outbound less-than-carload freight, effective at once:

Cars will load daily, closing at 4 P. M. for these points: Greensburg and Trafford inclusive; all stations to Greenburg inclusive; Alexandria, Hanover, Youngbush, Yukon and Hempfield branches, including Crab Tree, Madison, Herrinville, Trauger, Mammoth, Hecla, Yukon and Kratztown.

Cars will load daily, closing at 12:30 P. M. for Connelville (West Side) Dunbar, Gist and Redstone Junction.

Cars will load, Thursday only, closing at 12:30 P. M. for Uniontown and points beyond on the Monongahela River railroad and Monongahela division, Fairbance, Waltersburg, Smock, Charleroi, Monongahela city, Ellsworth, Donora, Leckrone, East Millsboro, Grays Landing, Fairmont and Morgantown, W. Va.

Cars will load Tuesday and Friday only, for Pitsburgh and points West, Donohoe and points east, including Pitsburgh, Buffalo, Chicago, Cleveland etc.; La Roche, Indiana, Johnstown, Altoona, Philadelphia, Washington, Baltimore and points in the south.

From the West Side station, cars will load Tuesday and Friday only for Uniontown and Monongahela division points and on Monday and Thursday only for Pitsburgh and points west. Otherwise the schedule is the same, with a daily service to Trotter, Leisenring and Monarch, closing at 12:30 P. M.

NEED AVIATORS

Banks Not Full, Pitsburgh Recruiting Officer Says.

Declaring that German and Pacific propaganda in the form of reports circulated in mills and educational institutions is designed to discourage enlistment in the government aviation service, Captain Gilbert V. Hamilton of the Aviation examining board at Pitsburgh, has declared that applicants will be examined after December 15, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding. The propaganda of which the officer complains is intended to create the impression that the government has all the aviators it can handle.

"This sort of rumor," said Captain Hamilton, "is not only absolutely without foundation, but ridiculous. The government wants thousands of men for the aviation service and we will continue to examine and enlist applicants after December 15 the same as we do now. Registrants may apply and be examined and enlisted the same as those not within the draft age, only we will have to get waivers from the government for those who have registered for the draft. The only difference will be a little more trouble for us and the applicants will have to wait a little longer for authority to enlist them."

The Pitsburgh aviation station was opened on November 3, and up to November 30, 161 applicants had been examined, of whom 39 were accepted and nine are awaiting waivers. The names of those accepted are sent to Washington and the men are notified from there when and where to report for duty. There were 27 applicants Saturday.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 4.—Miss Alice Stiller spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Sewickley.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gailley and children were recent Pitsburgh callers. Miss Margaret Musser of Connelville, was the guest of Mrs. R. P. Kammer Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Chalfant of Uniontown, are spending the week with relatives here. Mrs. David Weimer has returned from a visit with relatives at Smock.

William Ong of Pitsburgh, spent Sunday with friends here. Miss Helen Cole spent Thanksgiving at New Castle.

Mrs. J. F. Townsend spent Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Ottom of Pitsburgh.

Miss Mary Duff has returned from a visit with friends at Akron, O. Clarence Carson and Stewart Brown left Sunday for DuBois to join the hunters who left town last week.

Miss Ruth Luce of Pitsburgh, spent Thanksgiving with town relatives.

Miss Elva Smith has returned from a visit with friends at Uniontown.

Miss Jane Woods spent the weekend with relatives at Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Chalfant spent Monday with relatives at Hickory, Pa. Robert Pollock transacted business at Steubenville, O., Saturday.

Held For Court.

Hiram S. Bigan was held under \$300 bail for court by Alderman W. D. Coblorn at a hearing Saturday night, on a charge of assault and battery preferred by F. A. Burkey. Both the men live on Carnegie avenue. Bigan is alleged to have hurled bricks at Burkey.

Hit By Auto.

Andy Popson of Leisenring No. 3 was run down by an automobile last evening on the Leisenring road, suffering a fracture of the left leg. He was admitted to the Cottage State hospital where the fracture was reduced. The autoist never stopped, it is said.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

BASKETBALL LEAGUE

TO BE LAUNCHED AT MEETING ON TUESDAY

Primary Discussion Results in Decision to Invite Six Organizations.

At a meeting of 25 enthusiastic basketball fans and players at Macomber hall last night plans for getting a city league under way this year were discussed. Invitations will be sent out to six organizations requesting them to have a representative present at another meeting Tuesday, December 11, when officers of the league will be elected.

Just how many teams will be represented will not be definitely known until Tuesday. If a representative of any of the organizations invited is not present, it will be taken that it is not desired to put a team in the field. The Moose, Elks, Macabees, Baltimore and Ohio Clerks, Garage, and High School will be notified. If possible, it is desired that a manager of each of these teams be elected before Tuesday and sent to the meeting.

The league will play under the same name as last year, the Fraternal and Industrial Basketball League of Connelville.

The Baltimore and Ohio clerks are already organized and Earl Kessler is marshaling the Garage forces. Although the Macabees will not be able to put the crack organization of last season on the floor this year, they expect to have a fast team. Whether the Moose will be represented this season is not a certainty. Although the high school will have interscholastic games it will be invited to enter the league.

The girls' league was mentioned last night but it was decided that no action would be taken on this until it was taken up first by the women themselves.

Gilbert Republican Leader.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Representative Gilbert of Massachusetts will act as Republican leader of the House while Republican Leader Mann is at John Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, being treated for neuritis. Word reached here today that Mr. Mann's diagnosis showed no other trouble of any kind. He is expected to resume his work in the House after the Christmas holidays.

Patronize those who advertise.

Bank Statements.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK, at Connelville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business on November 26, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c) \$516,658.98

Overdrafts, unsecured 51 81

U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) 56,000.00

Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent 181,967.00

Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged 191,225.67

Stocks, other than federal reserve bank stock (50 per cent of subscription) 4,500.00

Furniture and fixtures, real estate owned other than banking house 7,251.44

Lawful reserve with federal reserve bank (50 per cent of subscription) 63,019.10

Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks 196,952.29

Checks on other banks in same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17) 1,010.27

Total of items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 1,178,428.00

Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00

Surplus fund 50,000.00

Undivided profits 50,000.00

Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid 17,180.25

Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate) 6,000.00

Circulating notes outstanding 5,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check 637,262.07

Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 13,000.00

Certified checks 333.17

Cashier's checks outstanding 645,847.89

Other time deposits 11,478,428.00

Total \$1,178,428.00

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss: J. John A. Armstrong, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1917.

JOSEPH A. MASON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: L. P. McPHERSON, CLYDE RICHARD, GRANT DILL, Directors.

U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged 75,000.00

Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent 112,500.00

Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged 98,465.64

Stocks, other than federal reserve bank stock (50 per cent of subscription) 450.00

Lawful reserve with federal reserve bank (50 per cent of subscription) 3,906.00

Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks 292,225.28

Checks on other banks in same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17) 81.85

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 2,500.00

Interest earned but not collected (approximate) 2,130.50

Total \$1,160,409.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00

Surplus fund 50,000.00

Undivided profits 50,000.00

Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid 4,118.95

Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate) 1,125.00

Circulating notes outstanding 5,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check 645,847.89

Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 13,000.00

Certified checks 333.17

Cashier's checks outstanding 645,847.89

Other time deposits 11,478,428.00

Total \$1,160,409.12

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss: J. Howard Adams, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1917.

EDMUND MARTIN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: RAYMOND T. DAVINSON, J. H. PRUE, M. E. STRAWN, Directors.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, at Connelville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business on November 26, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c) \$461,997.56

Overdrafts, unsecured 46.92

U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) 100,000.00

Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent 23,000.00

Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged 142,590.19

Stocks, other than federal reserve bank stock (50 per cent of subscription) 250.00

Lawful reserve with federal reserve bank (50 per cent of subscription) 750.00

Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks 11,215.72

Checks on other banks in same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17) 59,261.58

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 2,500.00

Interest earned but not collected (approximate) 11,987.79

Total \$1,214,615.29

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00

Surplus fund 50,000.00

Undivided profits 17,152.08

Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid 10,818.21

Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate) 4,000.00

Circulating notes outstanding 5,000.00

Individual deposits subject to check 220,025.21

Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 7,371.65

Certified checks 1,139.07

Cashier's checks outstanding 645,847.89

Other time deposits 12,000.00

Total \$767,727.53

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss: J. H. E. Schenck, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1917.

EDITH HARRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: P. H. BEIGHLEY, EDW. K. DICK, W. N. LECH, Directors.

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